

## **PATENT**

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.113 AND §1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 4, 2002, made final, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. A Notice of Appeal is filed with this Amendment, to preserve pendency of this application in the event the claims are not found to be allowable.